

INFORMATION PAPER

Subject: Combat Lifesaver (CLS) Bag Contents

1. **Purpose.** To provide information on the recent revisions to the CLS bag and its contents

2. **Facts.**

a. The CLS bag combines treatment recommendations from the Tactical Combat Casualty Care (TC3) Panel as well as changes in the program instructions for CLS providers.

b. The Combat Lifesaver Program website is:
<http://www.cs.amedd.army.mil/CLSP/>. AKO login in is required.

c. The CLS bag National Stock Number (NSN) is 6545-01-532-3674. The new Unit Assemblage (UA) number is 245A. The Common Table of Allowances (CTA) is updated to reflect these changes. The Long Nomenclature (LNOM) of the CLS bag is "MES Combat Lifesaver, version 2005." The next Panel Review is scheduled for March 2009.

d. The CLS bag is populated in the Universal Data Repository (UDR), Medical Services Information Logistics Systems (MEDSILS) (http://www.usamma.army.mil/apps/qbca_medsils/qbca_index.cfm), and FEDLOG.

e. Components of the CLS bag with their corresponding NSN and quantity are provided in the table below.

f. The Combat Gauze (CG) dressing (NSN: 6510-01-562-3325) is the newly approved haemostatic dressing for the CLS bag. The CLS bag will have three (3) Combat Gauzes. Inclusion of the CG in the CLS bag is not retroactive. Units deploying/deployed without the CG will be issued the CG in theater.

g. A Combat Strap Cutter (NSN: 4240-01-568-3219), used for cutting seat belts, was recently added to the CLS bag. Inclusion of the Strap Cutter in the CLS bag is not retroactive. Units deploying/deployed without the Strap Cutter will have to purchase the Strap Cutter to complete their list.

h. Atropine and Diazepam (Medical Chemical Defense Materiel items) are authorized for the CLS bag. The bag will be fielded without those items. Atropine and Diazepam are ordered separately once the unit arrives in theater. It can be ordered

through the supporting healthcare activity or US Army Medical Materiel-Southwest Asia (USAMM-SWA).

i. The 245A UA will be issued in the old bag, NSN 6445-00-912-9870, Case #3, 10x4.5x18 in. The unit may purchase a different bag for their CLS providers.

j. Hextend will remain a component of the CLS bag. This policy has been coordinated with the Office of the Surgeon General. The unit medical officer has the authority to replace the Hextend with a crystalloid as he or she deems necessary.

k. The US Army Medical Materiel Agency (USAMMA) and the Defense Supply Center Philadelphia (DSCP) will not build multiple CLS bags with different intravenous fluids.

l. CLS bags may be ordered through normal supply channels (Installation Medical Supply Activity) or through www.emall.dla.mil. Either way, the requisition will be routed through Defense Supply Center Philadelphia.

m. Changes to the CLS bag will be communicated to the field through the USAMMA website, AMEDDC&S website, e-mails to division/brigade/battalion surgeons, TRADOC, AKO, and Supply Bulletin (SB).

n. Questions regarding the CLS bag may be directed to USAMMA, http://www.usamma.army.mil/contact_usamma.cfm.

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**COMBAT LIFESAVER MEDICAL EQUIPMENT SET
(UA 245A)**

Prices are subject to change. Current as of 8 December 2008. Use it as a guide only.

Component	FSC	Long Nomenclature	Quantity	PRICE
01-519-5778	6515	ADAPTER CATHETER TO LUER SYRINGE SHORT LOCKING 5S	0.400	6.18
00-926-8884	6510	ADHESIVE TAPE SURGICAL POROUS WOVEN 3 INCHES BY 10 YARDS 4S	0.250	1.83
01-561-6204	6515	ADMINISTRATION SET INTRAVENOUS FLUIDS NEEDLELESS COIL TUBING 50S	0.040	12.23
01-233-1917	6515	AIRWAY NASOPHARYNGEAL 9MM ID 12MM OD KINK RES SMOOTH RD EDGES10S	0.100	5.32
00-926-9083	6505	ATROPINE INJECTION AQUEOUS TYPE 0.7ML SYRINGE WITH NEEDLE	5.000	30.65
00-201-1755	6510	BANDAGE MUSLIN COMPRESSED OLIVE DRAB37X37X52" TRIANG W/SFTY PINS	3.000	5.37
00-597-7469	6510	BANDAGE ADH.75X3" FLESH/CLEAR STER DRESS AFFIXED TO PLAS ADH100S	0.050	0.18
00-935-5823	6510	BANDAGE ELASTIC FLESH ROLLED NONSTERILE 6"X 4.5 YDS 10S	0.090	1.35
01-503-2117	6510	BANDAGE GAUZE COTTON 6 PLY WHITE 4.5" WIDE 4.1 YDS LONG	2.000	4.46
01-562-3325	6510	BANDAGE GAUZE IMPREGNATED 3"X4YD KAOLIN HEMOSTATIC QUIK CLOT see "paragraph f."	3.000	24.13
01-492-2275	6510	BANDAGE KIT ELASTIC	2.000	9.24
00-912-9870	6545	CASE MEDICAL INSTRUMENT AND SUPPLY SET POLYAMIDE NYLON NONRIGID	1.000	24.90
01-484-1327	6515	CATHETER IV INTROCAN SAFETY 18GAX1-1/4"LG WINGED NDL TEFLON 200S	0.020	7.84
01-153-5373	6515	CATHETER-NDL UNIT IV 14GAX3.25" LUER HUB AND NDL GUARD RADPQ 50S	0.020	10.18
01-274-0951	6505	DIAZEPAM INJECTION USP 5MG/ML 2ML SYRINGE-NEEDLE UNIT AUTO INJ	5.000	58.95
00-201-7425	6510	DRESSING FIRST AID FIELD CAMOUFLAGED 11.5-12"W 11.5-12"LG ABS	1.000	9.15
01-519-8421	6510	DRESSING OCCLUSIVE ADHESIVE CLEAR 4.75X4" 5S	0.400	6.00
01-491-5719	6515	GLOVE PATIENT EXAMINING & TREATMENT SZ 10LG PURPLE 4.3MIL 100S	0.040	0.37
01-498-8636	6505	HETASTARCH IN LACTATED ELECTROLYTE INJECTION 500ML CONTAINER 12S	0.170	68.46
00-111-7829	6505	LUBRICANT SURGICAL 5 GRAM 144S	0.007	0.15
01-197-8809	6505	ORAL REHYDRATION SALTS USP 27.9GM FOIL PACKET 125 PER PACKAGE	0.016	1.92
00-786-3736	6510	PAD ISOPROPYL ALCOHOL IMPREGNATED NONWVN COTTON/RAYON WHITE 200S	0.030	0.04

01-010-0307	6510	PAD POVIDONE-IODINE IMPRE STER COTTON/RAYON 2X1.375" BROWN 100S	0.060	0.36
00-935-7138	6515	SCISSORS BANDAGE 7.25" LG ANG TO HDL 1.50" CUT LG BLUNT PTS CRS	1.000	32.06
01-494-1951	6515	SPLINT UNIVERSAL ALUM 36"O/A LG 4.25"W GRAY & OLIVE DRAB REUSE	1.000	18.97
01-568-3219	4240	STRAP CUTTER,COMBAT see paragraph "g."	1.000	30.00
01-519-5872	6515	SYRINGE AND NEEDLE HYPODERMIC SAFETY 3ML 23GA STER DISP 25S	0.040	1.86
01-521-7976	6515	TOURNIQUET COMBAT APPLICATION ONE-HANDED	1.000	25.98
01-146-7794	6515	TOURNIQUET NONPNEUMATIC ADULT 14X1" BLD TAKING DSGN RUBBER O/A	1.000	3.08
01-519-6764	6515	TUBE DRAINAGE SURGICAL PENROSE 1"X18" RUBBER RADIOPAGUE STER 6S	0.170	1.72
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